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At an UNPRECEDENTEDLY LOW PRICE, are prepared to give extra bargains. We have manufactured a Large Line of MEN'S SUITS, and we sell them at prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

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Market, Decatur, Illinois.

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County Court Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, vs

Macon County.

Decatur, Ill., May 6, 1879—d&wif

Theodore H. Leibbrandt vs Alexander C. Corn-

nington, Complainant—Foreclosure

No. 1078.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in

purseance of a decretal order entered in

the above entitled cause, in the Court at the

Time 20 d&wif, I, John A. Brown, Master

in Chancery for said Court, on

Wednesday, the 6th day of August,

A. D. 1879.

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day,

shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder,

for cash at the West door of the Court

House, in Decatur, in said county, the following

described real estate, to-wit: Lots

15 and 16, block 15 (or part thereof), in the

3d P. M. together with all and singular the

tenements and hereditaments thereunto

belonging, and said premises will be sold subject

to redemption.

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MISCELLANY.

A small boy classes pies as cross
barred, open topped and kivered.

The spanked child soon finds out who
has the upper hand in domestic govern-

ment. A little boy, proud of his new jack-
et, informed his sister that he was a six-
buttoned kid.

Little boy at the opening of the pro-
posed spelling match: "Let's start fair,
grandmother, you take Nebuchadnezzar
and I'll take eat."

No matter how bad and destructive
a boy may be, he never becomes so de-
graded or loses his self respect suffi-
ciently to throw mud on a circus poster.

A Boston child remarked, after gas-
ing earnestly at a man who was bald,
but had heavy whiskers, "His head was
put on upside down, wasn't it."

A doctor to his son: "Johnny,
wouldn't you like to be a doctor?" "No
father." "Why not, my son?" "Why,
father, I couldn't even kill a fly."

Judging from the large number of
young physicians being ground out by
our medical colleges, we can no longer
sing: "This world is but an M. D. void."

Her name was Angel, and she was
only five. "If you're an Angel where's
your wing?" we asked. And the little
blossom answered. "God's keeping 'em for
me!"

Father (to sleepy boy): "Come, James,
you ought to be up with the lark on such
a beautiful morning." Matter-of-fact boy
"All right. But how'n I going to get up
there?"

If the anti-Chinese bill should ever
become a law, our Chinese fire crackers
will have to be manufactured in Con-
necticut or New Jersey, where our real
Havana cigars are made.

Expectant heir to doctor of his uncle:
Then, you say, my poor uncle is afflicted
with one of those incurable diseases for
which you never prescribe?" "I beg
your pardon, we always prescribe for
them." "But—do you cure them?"—"Never."

Some wicked man asserts that it was
a great mistake that potato bugs weren't
introduced into the garden of Eden, since
their presence there would keep
Adam and Eve so busy that they would
not have had time to go round foraging
for pippins.

Lord North, who was not fond of sci-
entific music, being asked to subscribe to
a series of concerts, refused. "But
your lordship's brother, the bishop of
Winchester, subscribes," urged the ap-
plicant. "If I were as deaf as he, I
would subscribe, too, was the reply."

"What are you doing there with that
basin of water? Don't you know you'll
wet your clean waist?" screamed his
mother. "That's all right," said six-
year-old, as he threw a Lucifer into the
water. "I'm only watching a swimming
match."

A word to the wise is sufficient. A
minister made an interminable call upon
a lady of his acquaintance. Her little
daughter, who was present, grew weary
of his conversation, and whispered in an
audible tone, "Didn't he bring his amen
with him, mamma?"

Tuts for the borings on the French
Coast, in connection with the proposed
English Channel Tunnel, confirm the
possibility of the execution of the
scheme. The geological considerations
are all favorable. But there is no rea-
son to believe that there will soon be
any vigorous and systematic attempt on
the part of the English to push forward
the enterprise and make its actual ac-
complishment probable. Lately, influ-
ential people in England have grown
very apathetic about the great tunnel

100,000 bushels of corn wanted by
Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay
two cents a bushel more than the highest
market price in merchant in, at lowest
cash prices, the corn to be delivered at D.
S. Shellabarger & Co.'s mill.

Jan. 1—d&wif

Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour
retains all the nourishment contained in
the wheat. None of its virtues are wast-
ed. Try it

MERLE Seamless Side lace Shoes
Ladies, at Perriss's Perfect fitting,
seams, and consequently no rippings—
elegant style, for \$2.50.

Feb. 18—d&wif

Mrs. Grindol, at her boarding house
No. 11 West Main street, can furnish
boarding and rooms by the day or week
for a few more boarders; fare good, and
price very reasonable

Joe Wagner Discharged.

Mention was made in these columns yesterday that Joseph Wagner was at that time on trial before Judge Greer, on a charge of being dangerously insane and a fit person to be sent to an asylum for medical treatment. The testimony of the witnesses failed to establish the accusations alleged in the writ, and after a short consultation the jury discharged Mr. Wagner, though two of their number were in favor of sending him to Jacksonville. Mr. Wagner is an aged bachelor German, and owns residence property on South Webster street, where he resides alone. The small boys in that neighborhood have been annoying Joe for a year past, to such an extent that he has grown very nervous and becomes very much excited and wickedly profane on the slightest provocation. His demonstrations grow alarming to the neighbors, and hence the proceedings of yesterday. In discharging the accused Judge Greer gave him some wholesome advice, telling him to pay no attention to the scoffs and jeers of the boys, and they would soon let him alone. Joe ought to form the acquaintance of a woman who knows how to use a broomstick, and marry her.

A Woman's Rights Party.

There was a surprise party at Henry Cassell's country residence, two miles northeast of the city, yesterday, given in honor of that industrious and successful farmer. Not mentioning 10 or 15 children, the following is a complete list of those present: Mrs. Capt. Goodman, Mrs. M. Goldberg, Mrs. Adam Imboden, Mrs. Henry Cassell, Mrs. Frank Haines, Mrs. J. D. Jennings, Mrs. John Gross, Mrs. Edward Bassett, Mrs. Win Scanlan, Mrs. T. B. Albert, Mrs. Al. Chandler, Mrs. Will Banker, Mrs. Mueller, aged 86, and daughter, Miss Sallie Albert, and Miss Ella Cassell. A splendid dinner was discussed, when Mr. Cassell came in from his work, and enlivened the party with his presence for about thirty minutes, and then returned to the field. At this picnic the masculine sex was given the cold shoulder, and the ladies paid their own expenses from first to last. They say that they had a tip top time, but confess that it would have been a little pleasanter had there been a man around to make fun of, help carry water and talk politics.

The Singleton-Charlton Budweiser.

Hous. Singleton's white Nemesis, Liza Charlton, raised another row with that long-suffering gent at the colored Sunday School picnic at Cassell's Park yesterday. Singleton permitted his temper to get the best of him, and in a thoughtless moment he pushed Liza away from him, when she raised her gingham umbrella and banged the barber over the head. These demonstrations were sufficient grounds for complaint, and the belligerent woman was arrested on a charge of disturbing the peace, and Singleton for making an assault. The woman pleaded guilty, and was fined \$3 and costs. The Singleton case came up for trial in Justice Peake's court this afternoon, E. P. Vail appearing for the city, and Mr. Singleton for himself. The court room was crowded and the witnesses were many on both sides. Singleton was fined \$3 and costs. The colored folks say it is a burning shame that they cannot get up a little party among themselves without some "poor white trash" crowding in and creating a disturbance.

Rev. N. P. Heath's Condition.

In the Danville News of the 17th, appears a communication from Rev. N. P. Heath, who is at present receiving medical treatment at the Gardner House, Chicago, for a chronic ailment. As the gentleman was once a pastor here, and is well known by many people of all classes in this city, we herewith reproduce a part of the published letter:

I know that you and many of the dear

friends of Danville, are anxious to hear from me in my affliction. Permit me, therefore, to occupy a small space in your paper that I may say to you and all others interested, that I have every reason to believe that I am gaining slowly. Dr. Andrews is very hopeful and gives me every encouragement that I will ultimately recover my health, but that I must not think of returning to my work before the first of September.

We congratulate Messrs. Wheelock,

Flury & Co., of New Orleans, La., upon their happy idea of giving to the public information of the contents of Dr. F. Wilhelmy's Anti-Pertic or Fever and Ague Tonic, which of late has gained such well-deserved popularity among the people. As far as we know, this is the only proprietary remedy for the cure of Chills and Fever, the composition of which is not a secret. For sale by all druggists.

July 15-d&wtf

THE CHICAGO RACER.—The famous

trotters, Rarus and Hopeful, will compete for the \$5,000 purse at Chicago, July 24th, nine heats, three in five, in harness. See advertisement in another column. Execution rates are offered on all railroads. Decatur will doubtless be largely represented.

THE Jacksonville Journal has six edi-

tors. Imagine the feelings of a theatrical agent when he strikes that office.

Royal Templars of Temperance.

Regular meeting of Decatur Council, No. 12, R. T. of T., this Friday evening, at the rooms of Ionic Lodge. A full at-tendance is desired.

L. L. Haworth, S. C.

L. C. Saxe, Sec'y.

To Bee-keepers.

You can find at my house, near the Mound, Everett's Honey Extractor, Bing-ham's Honey Knives, Roots and Bing-ham's Smokers and Comb Foundation. All for sale at reasonable prices.

E. A. GASTMAN.

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COUNTRY towns like Bloomington and

Jacksonville are taking pattern after Decatur in the matter of open air concerts during the summer months. They are going to pass around the hat in Bloomington next Thursday night when the Hamburg band plays. The Decatur band was paid in advance by private subscription.

At Clinton the other night a daring at-

tempt by tramps was made to abduct the 14 year old daughter of a widow lady named Mrs. Edmonson. The effort would have been successful had not the mother awakened just as the villains were taking her daughter out of the window, when she gave a piercing scream that made the villains loose their hold and fly for safety under cover of darkness.

MACON COUNTY COURT.

July Term, A. D. 1879.

SAVED

TIME AND MONEY

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RAILWAY CO.

Take this for the East and all points North and South on the Chicago & Pacific Railway, the Central (Chicago Division), Paris & Danville Railway, E. T. H. & C. Ry., and L. G. & S. Ry. Close connections being made at all Junction Stations, and tickets on sale at the ticket offices, Decatur, Ill.

CONDENSED TIME-CARD.

NOVEMBER 1879.

LEAVE.

| STATIONS. | Freight | Freight | Pass. | Pass. |
|-----------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Decatur. | 6:00 a.m. | 1:15 p.m. | 5:30 p.m. | 10:00 p.m. |
| Hammond. | 7:25 a.m. | 2:11 p.m. | 4:00 p.m. | 8:00 p.m. |
| Tuscola. | 8:00 a.m. | 2:36 p.m. | 4:30 p.m. | 8:30 p.m. |
| Newman. | 10:25 a.m. | 3:45 p.m. | 5:45 p.m. | 9:45 p.m. |
| Christiansburg. | 12:00 p.m. | 4:00 p.m. | 6:00 p.m. | 10:00 p.m. |
| Montezuma. | 1:45 p.m. | 5:20 p.m. | 7:00 p.m. | 11:00 p.m. |
| Bloomfield. | 2:25 p.m. | 6:00 p.m. | 7:45 p.m. | 11:45 p.m. |
| Gulion. | 3:00 p.m. | 6:30 p.m. | 8:15 p.m. | 12:15 a.m. |

ARRIVE.

| STATIONS. | Pass. | Pass. | Freight | Freight |
|-----------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Decatur. | 11:35 a.m. | 5:30 p.m. | 9:00 p.m. | 12:00 a.m. |
| Hammond. | 10:40 a.m. | 4:00 p.m. | 7:00 p.m. | 10:00 p.m. |
| Tuscola. | 9:35 a.m. | 3:15 p.m. | 5:45 p.m. | 8:45 p.m. |
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| Bloomfield. | 2:25 p.m. | 6:30 p.m. | 9:00 p.m. | 12:00 a.m. |
| Gulion. | 3:00 p.m. | 6:45 p.m. | 9:15 p.m. | 12:15 a.m. |

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Main Line, 12:30 a.m.

2:30 p.m.

4:30 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

8:30 p.m.

10:30 p.m.

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Passenger 2:11 p.m.

9 Freight 3:30 p.m.

ARRIVE FROM THE EAST.

No. 2 Passenger 11:30 a.m.

10 Freight 12:40 p.m.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 11:20 a.m.

10 Freight 11:50 a.m.

ARRIVE FROM THE WEST.

No. 2 2:30 p.m.

11 Freight 3:30 p.m.

GOING EAST.

No. 3 Lightning Express 10:45 p.m.

4 Atlantic Express 11:45 p.m.

6 Accommodation 12:00 p.m.

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East 9:45 a.m.

Going West 11:15 p.m.

ST. LOUIS DIVISION.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express 3:50 a.m.

43 Fast Line 4:30 a.m.

45 Fast Mail 4:40 p.m.

Freight 7:30 a.m.

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express 10:30 p.m.

44 Atlantic Express 11:30 p.m.

46 Accommodation 12:00 p.m.

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